

TRANSLATION

I, Yukiko Yanagi, residing at 4-74-1-14, Chiharadai, Ichihara-shi, Chiba-ken, Japan, state:

that I know well both the Japanese and English languages;

that I translated, from Japanese into English, the specification, claims, abstract and drawings as filed in U.S. Patent Application No. 09/964,633, filed September 28, 2001; and

that the attached English translation is a true and accurate translation to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Yukiko Yanagi